

## Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 20, 1906.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:49 and sets 7:23. High water at 10:51 a. m. and 11:21 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy tonight and Friday; moderate temperature; light westerly winds.

## Refreshing Rains.

The torrid weather of yesterday was followed about four o'clock in the afternoon by cloudiness and later by a high wind which rolled up clouds of dust and at times rendered it impossible to distinguish objects half a square away. The clouds at times were very heavy and caused some apprehension when large limbs from a number of trees in different parts of the city were twisted off. While the wind was at its height the tin roof of a house on the west side of Royal street, near Cameron, was torn off. Rain soon began to fall thick and fast and continued for some time. There was the usual accompaniment of thunder and lightning incident to mid-summer rains. The wind and rain caused a marked drop in the temperature, and conditions last night for sleep were greatly improved. The temperature today has been moderate.

The mercury which at 3 o'clock yesterday evening registered 94° dropped to 90° by 4:30 and in the next half hour during the shower it fell to 73°, making a drop of 21° in less than two hours. At 8 o'clock this morning the mercury had gotten up to 80 again; at noon it stood at 83° and at 3 o'clock this evening it registered 88.

## Baseball.

The regular weekly meeting of the Alexandria Baseball League was held at the Tontine Hotel last night and considerable business was transacted. The Del Ray team protested Monday's game with the Old Dominion claiming the Del Ray catcher was blocked by one of the Old Dominion's players. Del Ray was upheld in their protest and the game was thrown out. The players in future game will be required to be seated on benches provided for them. Ropes will be stretched before every game and no player from either side will be allowed to question a decision. The management of the league is determined to have good behavior from the teams while playing ball and better behavior is assured in the future.

The game tomorrow will be between the Orientals and the Invincibles. The batteries will be: Orientals, Zinkle and Frye; of Washington; Invincibles, Martin and Johnson. The game will be called at 5:30 o'clock.

## After a Ferry Boat.

Mr. John Callahan, manager of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, has gone to New York again to close a deal for the purchase of a double-end ferry boat for temporary service on the route between this city and Washington while the new ferry steamers are building. The boat Mr. Callahan proposes to purchase is 195 feet long and 60 feet wide, and has a speed of about thirteen miles an hour. Should the steamer be purchased, she will be here within two weeks and will be on the route about the first week in August. The steamer, it is understood, is a single-deck vessel, with big cabins on each side for passengers and room for twenty-four teams on her deck. It is the purpose of the Norfolk and Washington Company to remodel the steamer and hold her for a reserve boat when the new steamers are in service.

## Sent to Jail for Six Months.

Mary Pritchard, colored, yesterday went to police headquarters and told acting Lieutenant Roberts that she had reason to believe that Josephine Lee had robbed Oliver Brooks of \$48. The woman produced \$15 which she said the Lee woman had given her to keep for her. It seems that Brooks, who is employed by one of the railroad companies, met Josephine Lee and accompanied her to her house where the couple were to drink beer. While there Brooks fell asleep and it was supposed that the woman robbed the man while he was in a disheveled condition. A warrant was issued and Officer Nicholson soon had the woman in custody. She was brought into the Police Court this morning and after Justice Caton had heard all the evidence he sent the accused to jail for six months.

## Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Josephine Lee, colored, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with stealing \$48 from Oliver Brooks, was sent to jail for six months.

William Pruck and Maggie Allen, both colored, arrested by Officers Allen, Beach and Arrington charged with disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

Martha Woodland, colored, arrested by Officer Arrington charged with being drunk in the street, had her case continued.

Rosie Moore, charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without a license, was fined \$50.

## Deaths.

Mrs. Mary Jane Davis, wife of Mr. L. M. Davis, died at her home in this city this morning. The deceased had been in ill health for some time. She was a daughter of the late John T. Thompson.

John Jacob, the ten-year-old son of Mr. Jacob Brill, died at his parents' residence, on Duke street, between Fairfax and Lee, at 7 o'clock this morning—the same hour at which he was born. He had languished for a long time, and had suffered from a complication of diseases.

## Accident to a Brakeman.

Mr. Walker Campbell, a brakeman in the Southern Railway yard in this city, was seriously injured last night by falling or being knocked from the top of a freight car. No one seems to have witnessed the accident, and Mr. Campbell was injured so seriously that when picked up he was unable to tell how it occurred. He was taken to his home where he was attended by the company's surgeon.

There was an alarm of fire late yesterday evening caused by the discovery of a slight fire in a stable in Fayette alley. The apparatus repaired to the scene and the flames were subdued before any serious damage resulted.

## Personal.

Among the late arrivals at the summit of Mount Washington, N. H., are Miss Boush and Miss Carlin, of Alexandria.

Miss Cora L. Wheatley is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Master Wilton Arrington is suffering with typhoid fever at his home on Queen street.

Mr. M. B. Harlow, who has been seriously ill for the past month from the effects of a dose of oxalic acid which he took by mistake, has so far recovered as to be able to be at his office today. He is receiving the congratulations of his many friends upon his recovery.

Mr. J. R. Caton has gone to Louisiana on legal business.

Mr. James Alston Cabell, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, was in this city last night, a guest at the Hotel Ramme.

Helen, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Windsor, of New York, while visiting her sister on South Lee street, was taken ill with typhoid fever, and removed to the Alexandria Hospital.

Mrs. R. Y. Johnston, of Charleston, West Va., accompanied by her niece, Miss Maggie Tabb, is visiting her brother, Dr. W. F. Fisher, at 110 South Columbus street.

Mr. Edgar Pinkard, of Falls Church, and Miss Emma Randall, of this city, were united in marriage by Dr. Fisher, at the parsonage, yesterday afternoon.

Capt. S. B. Hutchins and wife, with their daughter, Miss Lucile, of Portsmouth, Va., who were the guests of Dr. Fisher, have gone to New York.

Dr. E. D. Fisher, of Dendron, Va., who has been visiting his brother, Dr. W. F. Fisher, has left for his home.

Mr. Ernest Tego and Miss Marguerite Hagganbotham, of Baltimore Md., were married at the Baptist parsonage Monday evening.

## New Steamer.

It was announced yesterday in Newport News that the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company has awarded a contract to the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company for the construction of a new steel side-wheel river day passenger steamer. The vessel will be 265 feet long and will be fitted up as a first-class passenger steamer, and will be built with a view of being fireproof. The vessel must be completed in 19 months and must, on her trial, develop a speed of 18 miles an hour. When completed, the vessel will ply between Washington, Alexandria and the lower river.

## Fined Fifty Dollars.

Rosie Moore, a resident of north Lee street, was before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without a license. She was fined \$50. The woman was arrested last Sunday with several others who were charged with similar offenses. Her case had been postponed until today. She noted an appeal and gave bond for her appearance.

## After Half Holiday.

At a meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 174, of the International Association of Machinists, last night, at Naval Lodge Hall, in Washington, the matter of the half holiday at the Washington navy yard was taken up, and it was decided to again confer with Secretary Bonaparte, of the Navy Department, and see if there is a possibility of the privilege being granted.

## A Correction.

A paragraph in yesterday's Police Court proceedings stated that Alfred Lane, colored, had been fined \$100 for the unlawful sale of cocaine. This was a mistake. It was Llewellyn Lane, as was announced in another item in the local department. Alfred Lane is a well-known colored resident and is not a patron of the Police Court.

## Struck by Engine.

An unknown colored man, about thirty-five years old, while walking across the Long bridge yesterday morning was struck by engine No. 34 of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, and hurled into the Potomac river, where he drowned. The body was recovered later.

## Sale of Lumber Business.

A sale of the real estate and lumber business of Smoot & Co. was this day made to W. A. Smoot, Jr., to take effect on August 1, 1906. The sale was negotiated by Mr. William Wimsatt, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. John M. Johnson, of this city. There were other bidders.

## CHOLERA INFANTUM.

Child Not Expected to Live from One Hour to Another, but Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Ruth, the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five minutes I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well. This remedy is for sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

## WANTED.

TO HIRE A SCOW to bring a load of wood from Belmont Bay.

J. K. M. NORTON,  
128 South Fairfax Street.

## Delinquent State Taxpayers Take Notice.

City Treasurer's Office,  
Room No. 1, City Hall,  
Alexandria, Va., July 20, 1906.

At the July term of the Corporation Court, at the front door of the Corporation Court House on Fairfax street, I will offer at public sale all the real estate belonging to delinquent taxpayers for the year 1903, a description of which can be seen at my office or at the office of the Clerk of the Corporation Court.

THOMAS W. ROBINSON,  
City Treasurer.

## MRS. J. W. COTTRELL,

912 PRINCE STREET,  
Would like engagements nursing.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.—My wife, Jennie Krammer, has died and I hereby give notice that I am not responsible for any debt contracted by her in my name.

HARRY KRAMER,  
July 19, 1906.

FOR SALE.—Four good work HORSES and a thoroughbred short horn DUBHAM BULL (3 years old). Apply to JAS. M. RIXEY, Jamieson farm.

FOR RENT.—Three or four UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; a. m. l. No children. Address "Rooms," Gazette office.

NOTICE.  
I will have small change at my store, on King street, on Saturday morning between 10 and 12 o'clock, for the convenience of the public.

B. BAER, Jr.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Seventeen boys, in charge of Mr. George Baird, were engaged today in clearing upper Duke street of grass.

During the rain storm yesterday evening lightning struck a tree on the north side of Cameron street, near Pitt, and split the trunk.

The proceeds from the recent excursion given by the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum to Marshall Hall will be in the neighborhood of \$100.

There was no meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners last night. Mayor Paff was out of the city and Commissioner Fisher, recently elected for the Second ward, was the only member of the board present.

Richard C. Burnett, recently convicted by the Corporation Court of selling liquor without a license and fined \$300 and sentenced to serve twelve months in jail, last night renewed his bond pending an application for a new trial.

In the police report yesterday in the case of several colored men who had been arrested for disorderly conduct in the northwestern part of the city Officer Bell's name was inadvertently omitted. He figured prominently in making the arrests.

Soft Crabs and Deviled Crabs fresh every day. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space, 10th st.

## Mr. Caton's Candidacy.

Alexandria, Va., July 19, 1906.  
To my fellow citizens of Alexandria city and county:

I beg to announce that I will be a candidate for the House of Delegates for the city and county of Alexandria subject to nomination by the democratic primary. It is well known to my fellow citizens that I was an aspirant for the honor of lieutenant-governor of Virginia, and that for reasons already made known to the public I felt constrained to retire from that contest. When I did so I then had no intention of becoming a candidate for renomination and reelection to the House of Delegates, until urged upon me by a large number of my fellow citizens of the city and county of Alexandria, whose wishes and friendship I felt under obligation to regard. After mature consideration and yielding to what I believe to be the wish of a large body of my fellow citizens and friends representing every interest in the community, I have concluded to stand for renomination and re-election. I have been twice honored with the election by my people as their representative in the General Assembly of Virginia, and trust that my past record in that body will be to them a pledge and assurance of my future conduct should it be their pleasure to return me to this post of honor. In the event of my nomination and election I pledge myself faithfully to guard and defend every interest of the city and county in which I have spent my life and in which are centered all my affections and interests. I respectfully solicit the endorsement and support of the people whom I have represented to the best of my ability in the two last General Assemblies of Virginia.

Very respectfully,  
JAS. R. CATON.

## Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, 25c., guaranteed.

## Three Good and Just Reasons.

There are three reasons why mothers prefer One Minute Cough Cure: First, it is absolutely harmless; Second, it cures good children; Third, it cures Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough when other remedies fail. Sold by W. F. Creighton, 401 King street, and corner Queen and Patrick streets.

## DIED.

At her late residence, 420 north Alfred street, on Thursday, July 20, at 1:35 a. m., MARY JANE DAVIS, wife of L. Morgan Davis, aged 71 years. Funeral from the residence tomorrow (Friday) evening at 6 o'clock. Friends of the family invited.—[Washington and Baltimore papers please copy.]

## Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra.....	4 00	4 75
Family.....	5 00	5 25
Fancy brands.....	5 75	6 00
Wheat, longberry.....	0 85	0 85
Mixed.....	0 83	0 85
Fultz.....	0 80	0 85
Damp and tough.....	0 70	0 75
Corn, white.....	0 61	0 62
Mixed.....	0 55	0 56
Yellow.....	0 53	0 55
Corn Meal.....	0 65	0 67
Rye.....	0 56	0 60
Oats, mixed, new.....	0 38	0 42
Elgin Print Butter.....	0 40	0 45
Butter, Virginia, packed.....	0 19	0 20
Choice Virginia.....	0 25	0 30
Common to middling.....	0 14	0 16
Eggs.....	0 13	0 14
Potatoes, per bu.....	0 30	0 35
Sweet Potatoes.....	3 00	3 25
Yams.....	1 50	2 50
Onions, per bushel.....	1 00	2 50
Dried Cherries.....	0 14	0 15
Dried Apples.....	0 03	0 04
Apples, per bbl.....	2 25	2 31
Dried Peaches, peeled.....	0 10	0 11
Bacon, country hams.....	0 11	0 12
Best sugar-cured hams.....	0 11	0 12
Butterfat Bacon.....	0 10	0 11
Sugar-cured shoulders.....	0 08	0 09
Bulk shoulders.....	0 08	0 09
Dry Salt sides.....	0 08	0 09
Fat backs.....	0 07	0 07
Bellies.....	0 08	0 09
Smoked shoulders.....	0 09	0 09
Smoked sides.....	0 09	0 09
Veal Calves.....	0 07	0 10
Lamb.....	0 07	0 10
Smoked Beef.....	0 14	0 14
Sugars—Brown.....	4 50	5 00
Of A.....	5 40	5 40
Conf. standard.....	5 40	5 40
Granulated.....	5 45	5 60
Coffees—Rio.....	0 10	0 14
LaGuayra.....	0 15	0 16
Molasses B. S.....	0 18	0 20
C. B.....	0 17	0 22
New Orleans.....	0 20	0 25
Sugar Syrup.....	0 16	0 28
Porto Rico.....	0 18	0 28
Salt—G. A.....	0 55	0 58
Fine.....	0 75	1 15
Turk's Island.....	1 00	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed.....	0 28	0 29
Washed.....	0 28	0 29
Merino, unwashed.....	0 28	0 29
Do, washed.....	0 28	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl.....	6 50	7 00
Potomac No. 1.....	2 75	3 00
Potomac family roe.....	2 00	2 50
Do, half barrel.....	2 00	2 25
Potomac Shad.....	1 00	1 20
Mackerel, small, per bbl.....	13 00	14 00
No. 3 medium.....	13 00	13 50
Plaster, ground, per ton.....	15 00	16 00
No. 2.....	4 50	5 00
Ground in bags.....	5 00	5 50
Lamp.....	3 50	3 75
Clover Seed.....	6 50	7 50
Timothy.....	16 00	18 00
Hay.....	13 00	15 00

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Women's Nainsook Covers made full front, tucked back, trimmed with four rows of French Val. lace and ribbon front and back. Worth 69c. Special..... 50c

Women's Cambric and Nainsook Gowns; V and square neck; trimmed with forebon lace and ribbon; others with embroidery. Worth \$1.00..... 89c

Women's Nainsook Gowns; round and square neck; short sleeves; trimmed with fine Val. lace and beading. Worth 98c. Special..... 89c

Women's Cambric Skirts; made with six rows of fine Val. lace and tucks; full width. Worth \$1.25. Special..... 98c

## Lansburgh &amp; Bro.,

420 to 426 Seventh Street,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

## Town Topics.

New York, July 20.—Assistant District Attorney Krotel resumed his inspection today of the books of Town Topics Publishing Company and was permitted by counsel for the company to examine the account held with the company by Justice Duell.

It is stated that Senator Depew, Clarence Mackay and John Jacob Astor subscribed for the yet unpublished book, Fads and Fancies, and Mr. Krotel was eager to know why it was that these subscribers paid a thousand dollars more than the subscription price, which Moses Wooster, managing editor of the Society Editors' Association, said was \$1,500.

## Baron Kamura Arrives.

Seattle, Wash., July 20.—Baron Kamura, Japanese plenipotentiary and suite, arrived on the steamer Minnesota this morning. H. N. Allen, United States Minister to Korea, was also in the party. They will proceed to Washington at once.

## New York Stock Market.

New York, July 20.—There was good general buying in the market, and although the prices of the usually active stocks were dull, prices were firmly held and material advances were made in a number of stocks in which there was urgent buying for special reasons.

Premier Rouvier in Paris this morning outlined to Prince Radolin, the German Ambassador, the programme drafted by France for the proposed conference of the powers in regard to Moroccan affairs.

## The Bobolink Route.

The bobolinks are so open in their movements that the passage from Florida to Cuba and thence to South America is known as the "bobolink route." So energetic and brave is this plump little traveler in feathers that it often compasses in a single long ocean flight the 700 miles from Cuba to South America, while many other species which also use the "bobolink route" stop at Jamaica, apparently dreading the long, unobstructed trip across the Caribbean sea. Youth's Companion.

## Preconceptions.

Small boys have a way of listening to remarks that older persons make and using them when least expected. A mother was surprised the other day to have her young son reply to her when she was reproving him for some trifling misconduct: "Well, mamma, you must put up with me. You know I'm just at the trying age."

## A Mann Retort.

Wife.—According to this paper, hot water will prevent wrinkles. Husband.—So? Then how do you account for the numerous wrinkles I have? Wife.—How do I account for them? Husband.—Yes; you keep me in hot water nearly all the time, you know.

## Breaking It Gently.

A young man married against the will of his parents, and in telling a friend how to break the news to them he said, "Tell them first that I am dead and then gently work up to the climax."

## Woolgathering.

"When a person's 'woolgathering' that means he's lazy, doesn't it, pa?" "Not necessarily, my son. He may be gathering the wool off the lambs on the Stock Exchange."

High aims form high characters, and great objects bring out great minds.—Edwards.



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